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[Penacook Observer, Aug. 17.]

AN OUTRAGE.—Some wretch in human form took a rock into one of the camps, the greening Gov. Jackson of Missouri passed this camp, from a secret position on the lot adjoining Major Carasum's, at the east of the town, which hit the Governor on the jaw knocking out three teeth. The person who threw the rock was never known that Gov. Jackson was on the train, as the point where the rock was thrown was near a mile from the depot. The hitting of Gov. Jackson was accidental.

[Abingdon Virginian.]

A HERO DEAD.—Michael Carney, a heroic member of the Eighth New-York Regiment, who was engaged in the Crimea war, and participated in the charge on Balaklava, received his death-blow at Ball Run.

PHILADELPHIA NAVY-YARD.—*The Philadelphia Press* says: "At the Navy Yard about 1,700 hands were employed yesterday. The *Tuscarora* is now in the drydock, and preparations are being made to fit out the *Junifer*. Five hundred men will be employed upon every vessel, and the *Tuscarora* will be launched in ten days. A number of small barges and ships' boats are being constructed. The *San Jacinto* and the *Macdonough* are expected to arrive daily, and the *Suebnachman* is now receiving a new shaft. The three gunboats awarded by the Philadelphia builders will soon be ready to sail. Twelve side-wheel steamers have been announced as soon to be built, and Philadelphia will probably receive contracts for three. They were about one hundred marines in the Navy Yard yesterday."

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

THE UNITED STATES GRAND JURY AND THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

We published yesterday the presentment of Grand Jury in relation to the traitor press. The presentment was accompanied by the following communication:

To the Circuit Court of the United States for the Southern District of New-York:

The grand inquiry of the United States of America for Southern District of New-York, in relation to a certain nearly four months, during which many intricate questions arisen, and many troublesome cases have been investigated, it is proper to this place upon record the confidence and appreciation of the energy, industry and ability of District Attorney, K. Deland Smith, esq.

CHARLES GOULD, Foreman.

New-York, August 18, 1861.

Judge Shipman remarked that he fully concurred in the paper, and would direct the entry in full upon minutes of the Court.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.—**Aug. 17.**—Before Justice SUTHERLAND.

DIVORCE.

Amelia W. Forbes agt. *Geo. E. Lowrey*.

In 1857, these parties were married. The lady alleges that a few months since she discovered her husband to be unfaithful, and commenced proceedings for divorce. He refused to give her a defense, and was sworn in as a witness against himself. On coming to Court, the Judge refused to confirm the report the Referee, remarking as follows: "We have repeatedly refused to grant a divorce on the evidence of a person, with whom the said Referee was committed. We will not now impose upon defendant it upon the testimony of the guilty party, who to contend it. It would lead to great evil. Unless other testimony can be given, the divorce cannot be granted."

DECISION.

In re, *James C. Scott*, a person of sound mind and free will, and *John J. Morrell* appointed Committee on executing the proper bonds.

THE DEVOE BARBERS CORPUS CASE.

In re *Eusebia Devoe*.

In this case, the husband of which have been stated, the Court held that it did not appear that mother of the boy rightly understood the consent signed by her, or that the same was explained to him. He should therefore order the boy to be discharged, retreating the clothing furnished him by the Government.

Mr. Murday for the United States; **Rankin** Reavey for petit-mor.

ANOTHER ENLISTED MINOR.

In re *Urbah Kent*.

Mr. W. F. Howe appeared with a writ of habeas corpus, commanding the commander of Fort Mifflin, to release the petitioner, a minor, who had enlisted at Ogdenburgh, without the consent of his parents. Government made no objection, and the Court ordered boy to be released on delivering up his clothing paying the expenses of his solicitors.

Before the Hon. Judge SUTHERLAND.

DECISIONS.

Wm. Bostwick agt. **The Bank of Mutual Redemptions**—The case will be settled when the Attorney plaintiff shall, according to rule 36 of this Court, in or upon the proposed amendments his allowance or satisfaction.

John Wells et al. agt. **Daniel D. Gordon**—**Alexander Spaulding** agt. **Philips C. Strang**—**John S. Christie**, **Charles B. Phillips**, **John A. Whitehouse**, **Charles L. Morrell**, **A. J. Van Winkle** et al. agt. **Mail Steamship Company** et al. **John M. Andrews** agt. **The Atlantic Bank**.—Cases settled.

THE NEW-YORK STATE AGRICULTURAL FAIR.—The fair from a friend just from Watertown that

Society fair, to be held there Sept. 17-20, and it despite the condition of the country and "war time" this peaceful gathering of farmers for a great and holiday will be as fully attended this year as in previous one. We hear from another friend at Kilton, Canada, that the very best feeling prevails there and that the Canadian people will unite with those New-York as heartily as though there was no "I-between them." A paragraph which got about, in the hand of a "Canadian discounteer," we are assured, was wholly erroneous in its statement that the Customs officers at Kingston charged duty upon the postage of the State Society. Dr. J. P. Litchfield, a gentleman well known in this city, states positively that package were addressed to him, and that he took from the office of the Customs officer himself, without charge, and had the bills posted, and that the kind feelings of reciprocity prevail. The directors of Electoral Division Society decided to change their date of exhibition, which had been long previously fixed from the 18th to the 13th of September, on account the New-York State Exhibition at Watertown was held on the 18th and other days. Dr. L. says: trust the Midland District of Canada will show, if frank, resolute, and hearty response to the invitation to compete, that it is pleased with the liberality proud of the opportunity of entering the lists in rivalry with the farmers and manufacturers of Empire State. That all reasonable facilities will afforded by the Customs authorities on both sides the St. Lawrence, I cannot for a moment doubt. And we do not doubt the success of the Fair, provided it is not delayed, as was the one held there two years ago. If it is not successful, it will not be lack of interest among the many thousands of emigrating, wealthy farmers in the northern part of State of New-York, nor for the lack of preparation the people of Watertown.

POLICEMAN ARRESTED.—Capt. Silvey of the 1st Ward Police, yesterday arrested policeman John Sullivan of the same ward, on a complaint of assault with battery committed by him on the night of the 9th in front of Horan, a resident of Brooklyn. The complainant alleges that on the night in question Sullivan, out on duty and in citizen's dress, went into a saloon on the corner of Greenwich and Morris streets, where there got into a quarrel with Horan and his wife, followed with his fist. He refused to stop, but, following him down the street by South-street, who again came down, and in the melee Horan lost his gold watch and a wallet containing \$23. The assault was known to Horan until yesterday, when he caused arrest. The accused was taken before Justice McKeen, where he pleaded not guilty, alleging that he was borne, when he plucked not guilty, alleging that he and others were disorderly, and that he was only trying to keep the peace. The Justice locked him up for examination.

MURK MYSTERY.—The body of the man recently found in the Kickapoo creek, and identified as Jacob Thomas, by his wife proves to be that of another person. The jury of inquest in the case was preparing to meet at the County Jail, where they were expected to hear testimony of several witnesses summoned to the coroner's inquest, assembled there at an early hour in afternoon, when the door opened and the alleged murderer, Mr. Thomas, walked into the apartment the astonishment of all present. His wife went forward, and after some conversation, partially recovered, she was carried to the hospital. On account of this new and unexpected turn of affairs the jury were not called together, the identity of the murdered man remains a mystery, and a mystery as before.

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